

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened firm. October 16.88; December 16.88; January 16.89; March 17.10; May 17.27.

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"THE GATEWAY TO ALABAMA"

WEATHER FORECAST

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Alabama: Fair tonight. Thursday thunderstorms. Gentle to moderate south and southwest winds.

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REPUBLICANS KEEP "HANDS OFF" OF KU KLUX KLAN FIGHT

PATTERSON GIVEN SUPPORT OF HOME PEOPLE NEXT TIME

Morgan Leader Will Have a Greater Organization

ROUNTREE IS HOST AT DINNER

Tidwell Expresses An Opinion On The Patterson Race

Andrew Patterson will be talked for the governorship in the next four years.

Gathering at Hotel Lyons last evening, at the invitation of Charles T. Rountree, Morgan county campaign leader who has just emerged from a successful political fight in this county for A. G. Patterson 43 of the "Old Reliable" of Morgan and Cullman counties went on record as pledging their full support to the Morgan man should the desire to place his candidacy before the electorate of Alabama at the end of the Graves administration.

Seated down each side of the long table, arranged in the main dining room of the Hotel Lyons, men from the rural districts of Morgan and Cullman counties shook hands with men from the population centers, both had fought and lost in their battles for the governor, but they had wrought well for Patterson rolled up his finest votes in the two North Alabama counties.

Charles T. Rountree presided graciously and took occasion to introduce the members of the Cullman "Big Five" and various Morgan county members who contributed largely to Patterson's success. Mr. Rountree expressed his appreciation for the efforts accorded him in his fight to carry Morgan and Cullman for Patterson and of his gratification at success.

Tidwell Speaks

At the conclusion of an excellently served and prepared three course dinner, Colonel Tennis Tidwell reviewed briefly the accomplishments of Mr. Patterson and his friends. Colonel Tidwell believed the Morgan man to be vastly stronger at this time than prior to the election and believed Alabama to have awakened to the gubernatorial possibilities of the Morgan candidate. The speaker regarded the success of Mr. Patterson, a success attained without campaign funds and without organization, as overwhelmingly important in the attitude of voters at the end of another four years.

Mayor M. L. Robertson, Cullinan and Dr. G. W. Bledsoe, Cullinan, talked of the fight waged in that county and pledged that county to Patterson ranks should the Morgan man again enter the political arena as a candidate for governor.

Quite a number of Morgan and Cullinan men were unable to accept the invitation of Mr. Rountree. The following were included in the hospitality of the Morgan campaign leader:

W. T. Price, B. C. Shelton, H. O. Sodell, R. T. Sheppard, F. A. Bloodworth, J. E. Mathews, R. M. McGlathery, J. S. Wyatt, W. T. Miles, M. G. Vest, J. L. Rountree, V. Henderson, E. F. Rhinehart, Dennis Tidwell, A. T. Hanson, B. Meadors, M. R. Rankin, J. W. Cunningham, S. L. Ryan, J. A. Moore, J. L. Proctor, J. T. Rainey, L. Henderson, A. D. Jervis, J. Tidwell, J. T. Ryan, J. Wiley, Owens, A. C. Dilliehay, Sam L. Howell, J. E. Wilder, S. E. Dutton, F. Cardin, T. A. Bowles, Charles T. Rountree, all of the Morgan county forces.

The Cullinan county "Big Five" included: Mayor M. L. Robertson, Dr. G. W. Bledsoe, J. R. Rosson, J. Tucker, S. H. Green, Roy Williams, another member of the Cullinan contingent was able to accept the invitation.



In Romance of India

Adele Blood, American actress, met Col. W. R. Castle, British war hero, on the golf links at Kasimir, India, a year ago. She announced their engagement in London. She was to return to India to marry.

OLD PAPERS HAVE HISTORIC VALUE

Original Copy of One Paper More Than 100 Yrs. Old

Gladys Miller, of Albany, Route 1, brought to the Twin Cities today a number of old newspapers, which had been in possession of her family for more than 100 years and which attracted wide interest. The papers are believed to have much value as historic relics of a former age in the life of this nation.

Included in the number of papers was an old copy of the Boston News Letter, said to have been the first newspaper published in America. The copy is of the date of Monday, April 24, 1704. The date the copy was made was not given.

An original copy of the New York Sun of September 3, 1833, is another interesting specimen as is an original copy of the Ulster County Gazette, bearing date of January 4, 1800, this paper being 126 years old.

For many years the papers were kept in a vault in New York state, former home of the family.

Today:

By ARTHUR BRISBANE. (Copyright, 1926, by The Star Co., For Albany-Decatur Daily.)

In offering Mr. Brisbane's daily editorials The Daily does not necessarily concur with his opinions, but offers them as the sentiments of the highest paid editorial writer in this country.

THE best things in life, justice and mercy. The two worst, jealousy and whiskey. Scott Workman, Ohio farmer, illustrates the power of jealousy and whiskey combined. He drank moonshine whiskey, then shot his wife to death as she was nursing their 7-months-old boy. Neighbors knew no reason for his jealousy. His poor wife had nine children. He drank more whiskey, loaded and reloaded his automatic and fired twenty bullets into his wife's body.

WHEN the police came the murderer held two of his youngest children, covering his breast and head with them, daring the

THREATS AGAINST BROOKHART MADE

Guard of Deputies Is Placed About Iowa Solon

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Aug. 18.—(AP)—Threats against the life of Colonel Smith W. Brookhart, republican senatorial nominee, were responsible for a guard of deputy sheriffs and detectives being placed around him upon his arrival here today to make an address at a fair.

Two residents of Marion received letters which the sheriff considered of sufficient importance to warrant a guard. One missive was said to have contained this threat: "He will be a dead man if he is permitted to speak at the fair."

NO WORD YET

Nothing has been heard from Rev. Ernest Hart, Russellville, Ky., pastor who has been issued a call to Westminster Presbyterian church. It is anticipated that a letter will be received within the next few days, the congregation having voted unanimously to call the Kentucky pastor.

Ballots Slated For September

The ballots for the city election in Albany will be printed about 20 days before the election date, it was stated today by City Clerk Henry Hartung. The ballots will necessarily be delayed until that date, owing to the qualifications of candidates. The city election will be held on September 20.

NO ARRESTS YET

No arrests have yet been made in the city of Albany for the violation of the new traffic code, it was learned today. People are being given an opportunity to learn the new system before the lid is clamped down tight. The end of the period of grace has not been made public. Fine for the offense, as designated by the ordinance, will not exceed \$50.

Another County Sheriff Young

THE excuse for legalizing prize fights reads. Teach the many art of self-defense and men can take care of themselves with their fists.

Then you read that in training Jack Dempsey will be protected

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MARKETING END OF NOMINATIONS FOR MORGAN ASPHALT ALDERMEN MADE; BELIEVED ASSURED POLITICS WARMER

Eastern Contracts are Placed With North Ala. Product

COMMENT UPON CITIES PROGRESS

Firm May Locate In Cities To Handle Raw Material

Marketing of North Alabama asphalt is assured, in the opinion of A. C. Leathers and E. P. Fitzharris of the United Rock Asphalt company now rushing a huge project to completion at Flint, Ala.

Mr. Leathers and Mr. Fitzharris have been in these cities for the past week perfecting plans for the erection of the asphalt plant at Flint and in lining up the marketing situation.

During the week W. T. Staats, Philadelphia A. S. Thorne, Wilmington Del. and A. M. Neilson production engineer, have been entertained by the asphalt men and were declared highly pleased with this location. Both Mr. Staats and Mr. Thorne are recognized as among the largest road contractors in the east and were here with the idea toward coming here later to launch into business.

The marketing end of the local plant is well fortified with the assurance that the North Alabama product is of sufficient good grade to be shipped into eastern markets and used.

The officials of the company are greatly interested in the good roads future of the state of Alabama and expressed the opinion that Alabama asphalt from the hills of North Alabama will measure up in every specification to the needs in this state for the future huge building project contemplated.

Both Mr. Staats and Mr. Thorne were well pleased with these cities, expressing surprise at the progress noted in these smaller southern cities. Their only criticism was made in view of some few streets in need of repair. They are greatly interested in entering this field owing to the proximity to the raw materials.

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ONE IS FINED

One defendant appeared before the Albany police court this morning on charge of theft. A fine of \$11.60 was given.

EIGHT CHURCHES ARE ENTERED IN MORGAN B. Y. P. U. MEETING

The Annual Morgan County Training School is in session this week at the Decatur Baptist Church. The attendance jumped from 112 Monday night to 155 Tuesday night and still larger crowds are expected throughout the week. The churches represented last night were: Central First and Southside, Albany; First, Decatur, Austinville and Fairview.

W. E. Nethery, Associational B. Y. P. U. president, is dean of the school. Seven books are being taught by the following: R. Elton Johnson, B. Y. P. U. secretary of Alabama; Miss Madge Flory, Fairfield, Alabama; Miss Madeline Dix, Decatur, and Will Spann, Miss Mary Thornhill, Miss Nell Safley and Miss Elsie Johnson, of Albany.

Barbour county is after Limestone county's record of having elected the youngest sheriff in the state, in the recent democratic primary. Word comes out of Barbour that Oscar Teal, successful candidate for the nomination in that county, is only 24 years of age. J. H. Clem, nominated in Limestone, also is only 24 years of age.

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KEARNS ASKS COURT TO AID COLLECTIONS

NEW YORK, Aug. 18.—(AP)

Papers in the suit for \$333,333, brought by Jack Kearns, against Jack Dempsey, were filed in state supreme court today. This represents one-third of the \$1,000,000 which the champion's former manager claims was to have been received for bouts this year with Harry Wills and Gene Tunney, contracted for with Tex Rickard, while Kearns controlled Dempsey's affairs.

GRAND JURY MAY FINISH THURSDAY

Great Amount Work Yet Remains For Investigation

The Morgan county grand jury, organized by Judge James E. Horton on Monday at the initial session of the current term of the Circuit court, may possibly finish investigation Thursday, it was learned today.

The grand jury is understood to have waded through a volume of investigation and to have plenty of work before that body this afternoon and Thursday.

James I. Chrissinger, Albany man, was named as foreman of the body.

Considerable interest is manifest in the finding of the grand jury and numbers of subpoenas have already been issued in connection with the findings.

Taken From Jail For An Operation

A white woman whose name is given as McEntyre was removed from the Morgan county jail Tuesday afternoon and taken to Baugh's Infirmary where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. The woman was being held on a statutory charge, it is understood.

She was removed from the jail in the city of Albany ambulance.

Floods In Ohio May Be General

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 18.—(AP)

Unless the rain that has been falling intermittently in southern Ohio for more than 24 hours stops, or lessens in volume, flood conditions may become general along all the larger streams in the affected sections.

Last night several small rivers and large creeks were reported overflowing in many places and the weather forecast for today predicted more "showers and thunder storms," indicating that a let-up was not imminent.

The storm approached from the southwest and when it lifted moved in a north-easterly direction.

COUPLE PLEAD NOT GUILTY TO CHARGE

GREENVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 18.—(AP)—Bob Tipton 43, his wife Alma Tipton, 40, charged with the murder of Nouella Winkle, 12, whose mutilated body was found in the cellar of the Tipton home Sunday, pleaded not guilty today.

Nearly 2000 people crowded the courtroom.

Alma Tipton dressed in a blue middy suit came into the courtroom with her bobbed hair hanging over her eyes. She hardly lifted her eyes during the hearing and sat with her head resting in her hands.

Tipton was calm and alert and followed the testimony carefully frequently making suggestions to his counsel.

RAMSEY SLATED TO RUN FOR SENATE AND SMITH TO OPPOSE BIBB GRAVES

Over 400 Present As Convention Is Opened

NO NEGROES ATTENDING

Coolidge Said To Warned Against Klan Issue

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Aug. 18.—(AP)—Erskine Ramsay, Birmingham capitalist, was today nominated by the Republican state convention as the party's candidate for United States Senate. He will be opposed in the nomination by Hugo L. Black, Birmingham attorney nominated August 10.

Colonel Dallas Smith, Opelika, was nominated for governor to oppose Bibb Graves.

Other nominees are: Lieut. Governor, Sumpter Cogswell; Secretary of State, Charles Phillips; State Auditor, Robert C. Lowery; Treasurer, L. A. Carroll; Supt. of Education, Mrs. Mattie Owen; Commerce of Agriculture, G. R. Horton; Public Service Commission, Oscar Drake and G. N. Huckabee; Justice Supreme Court, Elex Birch and E. H. Drier; Court of Appeals, Jere Murphy; Attorney General, J. Foy Guin. A resolution by Aubrey Boyles of Mobile to place republican patronage in the hands of state and county committees was adversely reported after a hot fight.

BIRMINGHAM, Aug. 18.—(AP)—If the prepared slate goes through, Alabama republicans will today nominate Erskine Ramsay, Birmingham capitalist, for United States senate and Colonel Dallas Smith, Opelika, for governor.

When the convention assembled in the Jefferson theatre at noon, delegates were said to have practically decided upon Ramsey and Smith to head the ticket.

More than 400 delegates, representing practically every county in the state, were present to participate in the proceedings. They appeared to have more enthusiasm than had been manifested by republicans of Alabama in several years and they talked constantly of electing their candidates in several counties and districts.

One notable feature of the convention is the absence of negroes. There was not a negro delegate. It was stated by several delegates that the word went around prior to the precinct and county conventions last week that negroes were to be left off the delegation.

During the morning hours several district meetings were held at the time fixed for district conventions that had not already been held.

While it was generally understood that Mr. Ramsey would be nominated for the United States senate to oppose Hugo Black, the democratic nominee, and Colonel Smith for governor to oppose Bibb Graves, the democratic nominee, there was an element of doubt whether either would accept if nominated.

Before Colonel Smith could enter the race, consent of General Frank P. Hines, director of United States veterans bureau, would have to be obtained. Colonel Smith is director of the veterans bureau for the district embracing Alabama and unless the consent of General Hines is obtained, he would have to resign his position or decline to make the race for governor, it was explained.

Judge L. H. Reynolds, who was reported yesterday as sponsoring a resolution denouncing the Ku Klux Klan, stated that he would offer no such resolution. It is said that following the publication of the story republicans in high official position and also high in councils of the national party, got

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Daily News Letter

Copy of Staff Correspondents
at World Centers of
Population

By HENRY LESESNE
International News Service Staff
Correspondent

RALEIGH, N. C.—Historians were given something else to figure out with the finding in North Carolina of an old garrote, a Spanish instrument for strangling prisoners.

This gruesome relic of the Inquisition and Colonial times was found imbedded under a heap of rubbish near Tryon Palace, one-time capital of the Old North State.

The chair, which is being exhibited in a show window at New Bern, has brought forth numerous conjectures regarding its probable record of torture.

One belief prevails that the garrote was brought to North Carolina by one of the early royal governors, and was used for the punishment of criminals and was kept in an underground passage, which, it is said, once led from the "House of Torture" to Trent River.

However, this belief is rejected by some. Whether or not the contraption was ever used by Colonial rulers or tribunals is not definitely known, as the history of the garrote cannot be traced with accuracy.

"Cow pasture pool" may be a bonnie game, but Angus W. McLean, North Carolina's "Mac" governor, is inclined to indulge in a little more strenuous exercise.

The chief executive who is now spending his annual vacation at Land-O-Lakes, Wisconsin, is no mean ax-swinging. Cutting trees, wielding a pick and shovel, and other sorts of manual labor—that's the Governor's vacation routine.

Governor McLean spent his vacation in the Wisconsin woods last year, and reports coming back to the capital indicated that the Governor is no amateur woodsmen, and that he can make dirt fly with a pick and shovel.

He was making nothing at the job he had but he awoke one morning to find that he was earning \$175 a month—at the same job.

This has been the experience of a number of convicts of the State Prison Honor Road Camps recently. One of the latest to win a parole and a job on account of his good prison record was Kenneth McNair.

He is still at the camp, but not as a prisoner. When he was granted a parole, he was asked to remain at the camp by contractors who employ honor camp prisoners.

McNair had been an assistant bookkeeper at the camp, and when he was released the contractors offered him the job at \$175 a month.

These old Confederate bonds, which Britshers are claiming should be paid to offset the British debt to the United States—just what do they look like?

State Treasurer Ben R. Lacey was curious to know, so he went back into the big vault in his office, moved away the cobwebs, brought out several bundles, and opened them.

The bonds were of \$1,000 denomination, and represented a one-time potential value of between one and two million dollars. They were 24 inches wide and 36 inches long, and were printed on thin, cheap paper.

The bonds were actually sent to England, Lacey said, but these belonged to the last issues near the end of the Civil War, and reached England after the collapse of the Confederacy and were worthless. They were brought back to North Carolina, he said, and have reposed in the vault ever since.

This year as well as being the 150th year of American Independence is also a sesqui-centennial of perhaps the greatest religious revival of the New World.

The revival was along the Roanoke River in North Carolina and in parts of Virginia. Eighteen hundred persons were added to the church, principally the Methodists, according to Bennett's "Memorials of Methodism in Virginia."

The early Methodist revival was led by George Shadford, who secured his commission from John Wesley, the founder of Methodism.

For Better or Worse



The Secret
of
Staying
in Love

By ANNE JORDAN.

STAY in love with your husband. After all, it's not such a secret, keeping in love. All you have to do is to tell yourself that he is still the mist-shrouded gentleman with whom you dreamed in the starlight.

People may not know it, but all happiness in life is make-believe. Love itself is imagination. Nobody is perfect, yet when you're in love, even a freckle-faced fat man seems to be.

So just keep on imagining you're in love with him, keep up your bluff.

It is just as easy to magnify virtues as faults. It's largely in the state of mind.

When you face the plain, unvarnished truth, you are not always lovable to your self. Friend Husband overlooks a lot of short-comings in you.

Furthermore, he never discusses your faults with other people. Are you that good a sport?

KEEP ON LOVING HIM!
Stay in Love with Your Husband—if You're Not, You'll Try
to Fall in Love with Someone Else.

FARM CONDITIONS LESS FAVORABLE

Cotton Mostly Fair
In Alabama, Says
Bureau Report

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—(AP)

—While the temperature averaged near normal in practically all parts of the cotton belt, conditions in general were less favorable, the department of agriculture said today in its summary of conditions in Southern states for the week ending yesterday.

Rainfall was too frequent in much of the east, although moisture was inadequate in some north-eastern districts, while complaints of increased insect activities were rather widespread and also of shedding and poor fruiting in many places.

Sweet potatoes were mostly fair to good but are somewhat late in Tennessee. Truck crops are generally fair to good. Marked improvement of tobacco was reported in the Ohio valley but in Tennessee the plants are somewhat undersized. Showers were beneficial for sugar cane in Louisiana and the crop continues to improve.

Conditions in Alabama: Corn doing well. Cotton mostly fair. Weevil increasing.

When Shadford left England, Wesley wrote him a letter with the following injunction: "I let you loose, George, on the great Continent of America. Publish your message in the open face of the sun and do all the good you can."

OP, Politics, Society



ROY HAYNES

DAVID A. REED



Major Roy Haynes was mentioned as a successor to General Lincoln C. Andrews as prohibition administrator. Senator David Reed, of Pennsylvania, predicted the seating of William S. Vare as Senator, despite the size of his campaign fund. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt denied valuable jewels were stolen from her Newport, R. I., home. David W. Stewart was nominated to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator Albert B. Cummins, of Iowa.

SECRETARY KELLOGG REMAINS AT DESK WHILE OTHERS PLAY

Torrid Heat of the Summer Beats Upon the
Secretary of State Who Is at Work
Upon Foreign Problems.

BY WILLIAM S. NEAL
International News Service Staff
Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—While most members of President Coolidge's cabinet have ranged far and wide on their summer vacation excursions, Secretary of State Frank B. Kellogg has remained steadily at his desk during the torrid summer weather spreading the "peace and good will" gospel of the administration to other nations of the world.

And although Mr. Kellogg, one of the most peace-loving foreign ministers in many administrations, has sought at every turn to minimize differences with other governments, many pressing problems are now before him.

More concern is displayed by the state department toward Latin-American relations than any other matter at this time, since Secretary Mellon has shouldered the burden of the foreign debt negotiations under the direction of President Coolidge.

Rebuff By Chile

Despite a rebuff at the hands of Chile, which rejected the good offers of the United States in settlement of the 40-year-old dispute over the ownership of the provinces of Tacna and Arica, Secretary Kellogg is continuing his mediation. To settle this delicate question would mean much to the prestige of the United States in South America, for it has been discussed ever since Chile took the provinces from Peru by the Treaty of Ancon in 1883, ending a bloody war.

Another step in the administration's effort for Latin-American accord was taken with the signing of a new treaty with the Republic of Panama, in which the little na-

States in the defense of the Panama canal.

One sore spot remains in Nicaragua, where the government of General Chamorro has not been recognized because it is charged he seized power by unconstitutional means. Of long duration are the Mexican anti-foreign land laws and the claims of American citizens for damages suffered in Mexico during the frequent uprisings there.

Chile remains as a constant challenge to the United States and to other foreign powers, pledged to a general relinquishment of the great authority seized in China to maintain order and make foreign interests secure. The state department is now giving its support to a movement to turn back the mixed courts in Shanghai to Chinese control.

The apparently futile efforts of the preparatory commission on a disarmament conference to reach a basis at Geneva that augurs for an accord of greater scope than the Washington naval conference was not a disappointment to American diplomats.

Remain At Geneva

Despite their lack of confidence in the desire of European nations to disarm, the American delegation is being kept in Geneva as notice to the world that the United States is willing to go along with other nations in an endeavor to preserve peace throughout the world.

The genuine hatred of America which diplomats have reported exists in many harassed countries is giving Secretary Kellogg plenty of opportunity to exercise his bent for smoothing troubled waters.

On one subject Mr. Kellogg apparently departs from his generally settled policy of friendship and

good will. This is Russia. Never, say Washington officials, will Russia be recognized as long as he is secretary of state. Socialism and communism are to him vipers to be stamped out.

No Russian of prominence comes to the United States without Mr. Kellogg knowing about the visit. Nor does any one get a visa on his passport if there is good reason to suspect he is coming for the purpose of spreading propaganda of the Russian Soviet.

Twenty-Two Have Accepted Invites

Twenty-two of the 100 farmers in Morgan and Limestone counties, who have been invited to attend the Farm Relations concluding meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday night in connection with the regular weekly meeting of the Kiwanis club, have sent in their acceptance for the gathering. It is anticipated that from 50 to 75 of the planters invited will accept the invitation.

RACE GAMBLING BANNED. BOY BET ON CHECKERS

(By International News Service)
CLEVELAND.—Sporting Cleveland, banned by an edict of Safety Director Ed Barry from race-horse betting and unable to buy forms or race guides in the city turned its attention to a new form of gambling recently.

Telegraph operators on a brokers wire with offices in Cleveland, Duluth, Chicago and Winnipeg held a checker contest. Bets as high as \$100 a game were made and booked by the horse bookmakers, who were unable to play their regular vocation.

The operators used checker boards with numbered squares and as a player in Canada made a move it was flashed on the wire.

Downtown Cleveland, "in the known" thronged the broker's offices until racing was permitted again.

Red And Rube Alike In Sleep

By International News Service
SAN FRANCISCO.—Rube Goldberg, cartoonist, crawled from his Fallen Arch Six bed few days ago and immediately voiced a mild, but nevertheless phatic, complaint.

The fact that San Francisco had "her neck washed," in a word, has lost some of the mance of old, by having a layers of grime removed, and the city will come to no good.

The absence of fog in the also caused a few disgruntled marks from the "papa" of McNutt.

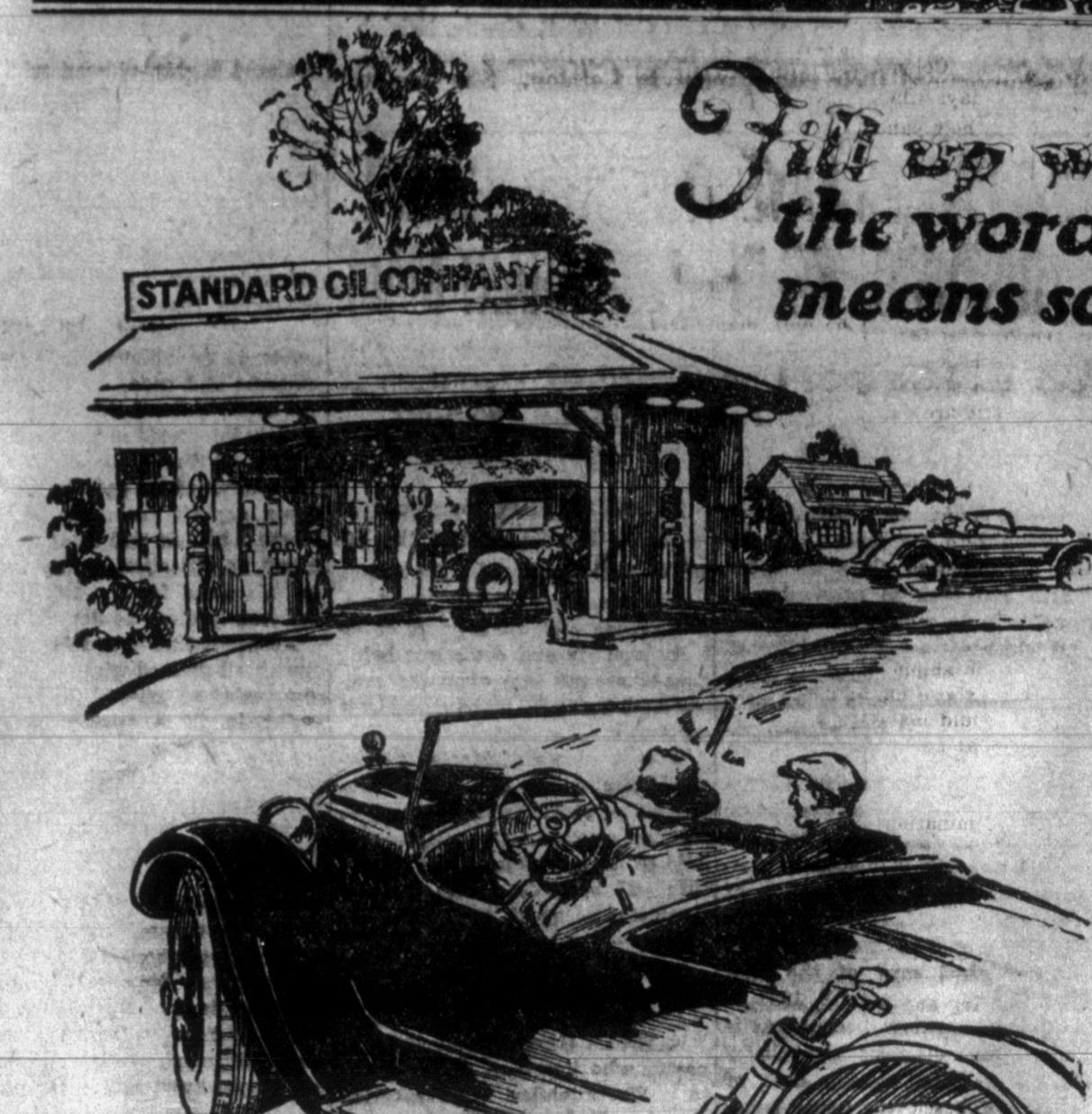
"I suppose some trust bought it," said Goldberg, "I seem to think that he was like 'Red' Grant, one respect."

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TODAY From The Daily of
12 Years Ago August 18, 1914.

A large docket in the Law & Equity Court will face Judge Wert in the September term.

Miss Dimple Brock returned today from Birmingham where she has been the house guest of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Dinsmore.

Mrs. S. R. Garrison and Masters Robert and Ras left this morning for a ten days trip to Valhernoso.

Little Miss Suzanne Jones continues quite ill with fever.

R. E. Chandler, R. L. White, A. C. Mann and John L. Proctor and little son are among those attending the Woodmen's picnic at Somerville today.

To many ex-service men of Alabama, Colonel Graves' election carries them back to the days when he was leading his American soldiers in their campaign to make the world safe for democracy.

Nearly twelve years ago New Decatur voters established a record of a tie vote on changing the name. So far as The Daily knows that tie vote still stands as an all-time record for the state.

Now that the election is over, people who favor nine months school terms in rural sections as well as in the cities must be on their guard to see that all of the campaign promises to this effect are fulfilled.

The expansion of warehouse facilities by Davis and Company the Union Compress Company and Hughes and Tidwell, details of which were given last week in The Daily, is but another indication of the commercial expansion of the Twin Cities. Keep up the good work.

Over four million pounds of chewing gum shipped to foreign countries in 1925. No wonder those nations don't wish to pay war debts, that would make any country sore to have things popping at such a gait.

Well there is one good indication. Nominations for aldermen were made in four wards of the city of Albany and no casualties reported from the ballot. The election may not be so torrid as has been anticipated.

The Selma Times-Journal is waxing warm over the loss of the recent gubernatorial primary and is planning to do away with the present primary laws. The Daily was opposed to that newspaper in the recent campaign, but now we believe the editor has struck popular chord and we hope to aid the movement from this end of the state.

CHARLES LANE PLANS TO DEVOTE HIS TIME TO HIS NEWSPAPER.

Charles D. Lane, editor of the Community Builder at Huntsville and one of the most active workers in the campaign just closed, expresses an opinion shared by many others when he declares he is ready to "go back to work."

Several weeks of intensive labor, followed by sleepless nights and busy days tabulating the result tired Mr. Lane of things political. The Daily wonders if there are not untold thousands of other Alabamians who are in a similar predicament. The campaign has worn the nerves of the people to a jagged edge.

J. C. PENNEY BRANCH OPENS IN ALBANY-DECATUR.

One of a 745 store organization of J. C. Penney Company will be opened September 1 on Second avenue, Albany, and the Daily points out that this is but another indication that Albany-Decatur conditions are sound, that the future of Albany-Decatur is assured. This vast organization would not have entered these cities unless a careful survey revealed sufficient evidence of growth, progress and expansion to justify the placing of a branch of a great chain in the heart of this Morgan county capital. Merchants of these cities are happy to welcome J. C. Penney Company, the Daily is glad to welcome the new firm and believes that the faith will be fully justified in a short period of time. A substantial institution coming into a city is an indication of a robust business condition that will improve as the years roll onward.

MORGAN SCHOOLS BEGIN OPENING OF SESSIONS.

Falkville High school is the first to open its doors in Morgan county this year. Falkville people who have just cause to be proud of their institution are looking forward to the best year in the educational line that has been enjoyed since establishment. So

will it go on down the line until all the schools in the county are in full swing and the thousands of Morgan children are being qualified to cope with the problems of the day, being placed on an equal footing with all children. The educational institution is a character builder, a mental builder, a physical builder, laws should not be needed to place children in school the advantages offered should bring every parent the inherent desire to have the child where the best advantages are offered. Morgan children will be offered a fair opportunity all over the county this year.

MORGAN FARMERS WILL BATTLE AGAINST COTTON PEST.

"We will fight now, win or lose we will fight to the last ditch," were the words of a Morgan farmer who was in The Daily office on Tuesday to learn information regarding the cotton worm situation which has thrown a scare into cotton raisers in this section.

Somehow, listening to that farmer recalled the historic days when the embattled farmers at Lexington fired the shot that was heard round the world, the spirit is much the same.

Morgan farmers have worked hard to put this gnat at the top of the state cotton list and they do not intend to allow the cotton pest to undo the efforts they have made. They are prepared to win.

County Agent J. C. Ford has stood up well under the strain, being called from one end of the county to the other, telephone calls await him at every stop and his knowledge of the agricultural world is in demand. He is playing a large part in the success of farmers in bringing the usual Morgan county bumper yield. Farmers are turning to him for they realize the value of gaining expert knowledge and they are using this newspaper as a means for reaching the farm agent and other farmers. They are keeping in touch daily with the situation through the columns of this newspaper and fighting day and night to end the pest ravages.

They are going to be successful in their fight if they are given an even break in weather conditions and Morgan will again proudly reach toward the top of the state list, climbing toward the record yield of Madison county. All success to them, the Daily offers its services, Albany-Decatur offers service, every townsmen is interested in the fight.

BATSON IS TALKED AS NEXT CHIEF OF HIGHWAYS.

S. R. Batson, just emerged from an impeachment trial, is talked as the next chief of highways in the state of Alabama. If this be true the Daily hopes that Mr. Batson is qualified and that he will be able to serve in the responsible position which he is about to enter.

However, the Daily would like to ask why is the change so necessary in view of the fact that the present highway commission has functioned well, according to the report of impartial engineers? Highway Chief Rogers certainly met his political doom when Charles S. McDowell failed in his nomination race, but the facts facing this end of the state certainly stand out as a new moon after a week of rain. Highway Chief Rogers is the one highway chieftain who has placed a bridge across the Tennessee river, he is the one man who has labored and prepared a way for the construction of the Bee Line highway, he is the one man who has gone to work on the Moulton-Decatur road, he is the only man who has prepared an opening of the Courtland-Decatur road. Is this a time for Morgan county to push Mr. Rogers from his chair in the administrative offices of the highway commission? That evidence that Mr. Rogers has not wrought well since he entered his present responsibilities?

The spoils system is a Democratic institution brought into being by President Jackson, but that does not make the spoils system right, no matter what candidate is in power. Mr. Rogers has done well for this end of the state and if highway conditions in other portions of the state are like the situation here it would seem that the commission chief is being deposed on a rather flimsy excuse.

Who is the genius who is going to do more than Mr. Rogers in the next four years, what is the record behind this road builder who is going to sit in judgment at the throne of highway construction?

PATTERSON GET-TOGETHER PROVES TO BE CAMPAIGN LAUNCHING.

Andrew G. Patterson lost in his race for the governorship, yet had the reader been present at the tables, no talk of the loss was heard, no indication that a primary has been held would have been noticeable.

Campaigners, scarred from the recent

campaign in Cullman and Morgan counties where Mr. Patterson was overwhelmingly successful, gathered in what was termed a meeting of the "Old Reliables."

No talk of the loss was heard, no indication was given that Patterson had lost, but a characteristic spirit of fire that pervaded the entire campaign in the northern section continued to flame as the private dinner progressed.

Rather did the meeting look like the launching of the Morgan candidate in the race following the administration of Bibb Graves, the Patterson spirit was there and had the Morgan leader been present he would have found much to satisfy any feeling of disappointment he might have felt. Patterson is the man for governor at the end of the next four years, was the entire sense of the gathering, a good will meeting held by men who lost politically but are undaunted in spirit and feel that they are going to have the pleasure of leading another Morgan and Cullman county campaign for Mr. Patterson.

Mr. Patterson will be in a better position to make his race in the next four years, he has seen his campaign mistakes, seen the weakness of a campaign without a thorough organization in at least a majority of the counties in the state and he has been able to clear the minds of voters who had been suffering through lack of understanding of situations.

Particularly was the latter applicable in Limestone and Madison counties where Mr. Patterson faced the charge of having thwarted good roads programs in those counties. Had those situations been cleared up sooner then Mr. Patterson undoubtedly would have carried both counties. Next time he will not face such a situation for his friends will see to it that the voters are acquainted with the facts as they really stand, clearing the mind of the voter and allowing him to focus his eyes upon an able and sane man for the governor of the state of Alabama.

It is not believed that any political giant will raise his head in North Alabama against Mr. Patterson next time for it will be folly to fight the Morgan countain. His records for the next two years on the Public Service Commission is going to have much to do with his coming success in the next Democratic primary for the selection of a governor. Patterson lost this time, his friends will keep him from losing the next political battle for they understand that Patterson is the man for governor in qualification, personal worth and in political strength.

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STILL TROUBLED WITH WAR BABIES

TODAY
(By ARTHUR IRISBANE)

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by two Chicago detective ser-

geants, "good men, quick on the

trigger, if need be."

What becomes of that valuable

"mainly self-defense" if the

champion heavyweight must be

protected while he trains?"

THE reason for legalizing

prize fights is that they enrich

promoters and politicians that

share the profits. They also pro-

mote brutality, establish false

standards of excellence for the

young, by bringing together

criminals and morons, and

spread disease. But the profit

for politicians outweighs all that.

ANDREW MELLON, leaving

Italy, expresses high admiration

for Mussolini's management

of Italy's finances. That is the most

valuable tribute Mussolini could

have. No matter what he may

do in other directions, an abso-

lute ruler must manage money

well, or he falls. Prudhomme's

warning applies to Mussolini, as

it did to the Bourbons, and does

to this country.

Monarchs are destroyed by

poverty, republics by wealth.

This republic seems able to

stand a good deal of wealth.

PAUL W. FUERSTEN, able

musician, is sentenced to die for

killing Mrs. Hattie Vickers, Sal-

vation Army worker, who re-

fused to run away with him.

The woman's husband and small

children in court impressed the

jury of eleven men and one

woman.

THE murderer said he com-

mitted the crime on a "mad im-

pulse," but that did not save

him. The jury convicted him on a

sane impulse. Capital punish-

ment is out of date, as unworthy

of modern days as torture by

fire or the rack, but in past ages

the hangman, headsman, all the

official killers have done much

to improve the human race, by

eliminating impulsive killers and

other criminals.

EXECUTIONERS have been

demonstrating Darwin's interest-

ing law of natural selection, se-

lecting for elimination the worst

types. Similarly war, giving the

fighters a chance to be killed

quickly, has made the race more

peaceful. Once almost any man

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TO THE PEOPLE OF

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The final count from Morgan county shows officially that you have nominated me sheriff of your county. I desire to express to the people my hearty appreciation for this honor you have conferred upon me. Your continued confidence and co-operation will be a great help to me in the performance of the important office of sheriff. I sincerely hope that if there have been any ill feelings as to the result of the campaign, they will soon be forgotten and we will settle down to the task of making Morgan county the best county in the state.

Respectfully yours,
B. E. DAVIS.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Editor, The Daily,

Albany, Alabama,

Dear Sir:

TODAY



SOCIETY

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Albany 693

WEDNESDAY

Tea at Country Club from 4 to 6 honoring Mrs. Robert S. Banks, Mrs. Allie Banks and Miss Ruth Banks hostess.

FRIDAY

Canal street rook club—Mrs. Sam Irvin.

Rock party at 3 p. m. at the Stinson home honoring Mrs. Will Garnett of New Smyrna, Fla., Mesdames O. P. Stinson and Spencer Garnett hostess.

PARAMOUNT CLUB

The members of the Paramount Club met Tuesday morning with Miss Gene Humphrey at her home on Jackson street. There were two substitutes, Miss Ruth Clark of Nashville and Miss Barbara Ann Davis. At the close of the game delicious ice cream was served. Next meeting will be with Miss Anne Louise Maulsby.

DOBBYNS-LITRELL

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Littrell announce the marriage of their daughter, Lois, to Mr. Claude M. Dobbyns, August 15, 1926, at Decatur. The young couple are at home at 206 5th avenue west.

MRS. O. P. STINSON AND MRS. SPENCER GARNETT WILL ENTERTAIN

On Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. O. P. Stinson and Mrs. Spencer Garnett will be joint hostesses at a rook party at the Stinson home complimenting Mrs. Will Garnett of New Smyrna, Fla.

Mrs. J. H. Calvin and sons, Jackson and Jojo, and Miss Helen Jackson of Montgomery, are in Montague spending several weeks.

Mrs. A. K. Knight and son, Tracy, will leave Friday for a visit to relatives in Glasgow, Ky.

Mrs. C. W. Knight left today for Tuscaloosa where she will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hammerly.

The six hundred club has discontinued its meetings for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Pickens of Mt. Hope is the house guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ford Ware.

Will White and son, Earl, were the overnight guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Williams.

Mrs. Lawrence Mathews and little son and daughter, Willard and Jewel, and Miss Mary Esther Houze will leave today for a visit to Birmingham.

Clyde Bradshaw who has been ill with appendicitis is reported as improving.

Mrs. T. T. Fry and son, Eugene, of Nashville were the guests of Mrs. C. A. Edwards Tuesday.

Mrs. Sidney Robertson has returned to her home in Hanceville after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. George and daughter, Elizabeth, will arrive Sunday to be the guests of Mrs. George's mother, Mrs. J. W. Minor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wolf have returned from a western trip. They have been gone about three weeks during which time they visited many points of interest in the western states.

W. C. Roper is in Chattanooga.

S. H. Malone will leave tonight for Asheville, N. C., where he will spend several days.

Mrs. W. N. Cowden who has been ill at the Benevolent Hospital following an operation continues to improve.

Woodie Bund, Jr., of Laredo, Texas, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Malone for a few days.

Mrs. Jack Smiley returned from Birmingham Saturday.

Mrs. Ferrill of Birmingham is the guest of Mrs. Jack Smiley.

Mrs. W. G. Oliver of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smiley.

Bascom Hopson of Birmingham was the over Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smiley.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their regular business meeting Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at home of Mrs. W. A. Brittain, 821 6th avenue. Important subjects to be put before the union. All members urged to attend and visitors and prospective members cordially invited.

Heart Strings

By Dorothy Flack



THE heart, like a precious gift, has many strings attached to it. And fortune is the man who so directs his life that these strings are held by men and women worthy of a place in his affections.

For every man is born with the right to love. But only the man blessed by the gods can enjoy the devotion and loving care of all to whom he is dear. For there is no happiness so complete that it can accomplish its purpose without a mother's devotion, a father's guidance, a sister's adoration and a sweetheart's love.

Each of these dear ones is faithfully holding a heart-string in the earnest hope that thus guided, their hero will not swerve from the right path. Each is confident that it is his tug on the string which is most forceful and effective. Yet, if the truth be told, it is the combination as a whole which does the work.

This the man of their dreams realizes. And realizing it he offers up a prayer of thankfulness for each dear one holding fast to his heartstrings!

Ramsey Slated Run For Senate and Smith Oppose Bibb Graves

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in communication with leaders in this state and insisted that the convention omit any reference to the Klan.

According to a story heard today, less a personage that President Coolidge conveyed through political friends the request that the Alabama republicans keep hands off in the Ku Klux Klan fight.

Judge Reynolds had a resolution to offer when the convention met but it was silent on the Ku Klux.

J. M. Adkins is to be elected chairman of the state executive committee for another term. He has served as chairman during the past four years and his administration of party affairs in the state is said to be satisfactory to those in control.

Aubrey Boyles, of Mobile, deputy district attorney for the Southern district of Alabama, is on hand with a delegation of friends from the first congressional district. Mr. Boyles was appointed United States attorney over the opposition of O. D. Street, dispenser of patronage in Alabama for the president, and does not attempt to disguise his feeling toward those who opposed him.

He has a resolution to offer that, if adopted by the convention, would take the federal patronage out of the hands of one man and delegate it to district and local committees.

Franklin Back After Inspection

U. I. Franklin, state dairy inspector, returned here today from Tuscaloosa, after inspection of the dairies located there. Inspector Franklin stated that all the dairies were in good condition, several offering pasteurized milk to the public. He will visit Jasper, Ala., during the week.

FAMOUS FRENCH RECIPES

By ALICE LANGEIER
International News Service Staff Correspondent

PARIS. "Green Beans a la Bourgeoise" are one of the best beans.

Remove carefully the strings from green beans and let cook for ten or twelve minutes in boiling salt water. Remove and drain. Brown a spoonful of chopped onion in a casserole with butter, moisten with a little of the bean water and let boil. Add the beans and a bouquet of parsley.

At the moment of serving bind with the yolks of two eggs and add a large piece of butter.

Announcement of Bank Expected

Announcement of the plans of the Tennessee Valley Bank which, according to a rumor current last week, expects soon to erect a handsome home, probably will be made formally next week; it was said here today.

CHILD DIES

Lovie A. Hensley, two years old, died this morning at 3:45 o'clock at the family residence, No. 5 Gun street. The child is survived by the parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hensley. Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at eleven o'clock at Chapel Hill cemetery, Rev. J. M. Praytor conducting the services. Interment will be made in the cemetery there, Priest directing.

APRIL WEATHER

Weather this August has resembled April with its intermittent showers. The rainfall this month despite the number of showers, has not been unusually heavy.

What About the Loveless Marriage?

By Annie Laurie

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE:

I am a girl of twenty, am considered good looking and have a lot of friends. Now, there is a young man living quite a distance from here who asked me to marry him. I told him no and he seems to be very fond of me. Now that he can't see me often, I go out with other fellows, and every time I do, he thinks less of my looks. I am kind and respectful but not very good with a high sense of humor but I don't think I really care for him.

Now, Annie Laurie, what I want you to tell me is what shall I do? Shall I say I do not love him or shall I let him know this by my actions?

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE:

The only fair thing you can do is to go to your fiance and tell him that you cannot possibly marry him because you do not love him. It would be much kinder for you to do this way than to write less frequently and make your letters take hands off him.

Now, if you cannot arrange to see him then you must write. Explain the whole situation and make him understand that you have made a mistake which you want to rectify before it is too late. Of course he will be hurt—but there isn't anything else you can do.

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE:

Let's take this thing apart. LUE-EYED DICKIE:

Let's take this thing apart. LUE-EY

DON JUAN

Novel by
INEZ
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"Don Juan" screen play by Sean Meredyth, starring John Barrymore, is a Warner Bros. picturization of this novel.

SYNOPSIS
Don Juan's disillusioned father warns him: "Destry women or they will destroy you. Take their love scornfully—and forget!" This advice has made *Don Juan* the greatest lover of all time. But his gay philosophy is checked in *Rome* by the disarming innocence of beautiful Adriana, *Baroness*, with whom he falls madly in love. The affair is dangerous because infamous *Lucretia Borgia* loves Juan while her kinsman, *Donati*, covets Adriana. Outraged by Juan's first approach, Adriana avoids him. He humbly contrives to meet her again.

CHAPTER VI—Continued

A tiny pulse throbbed in her throat. She knew a sudden impulse to run, but a stronger one, to stay, held her. After an instant's silence she spoke, raising her great dark eyes to his face.

"I know that you have been here, for I have seen you," she told him truthfully.

Juan could hardly believe that. She was as lovely as the Madonna, he told himself. He could not look into her eyes, could not face the beautiful innocence that looked out from them. Kneeling, he lifted the hem of her dress to his lips and kissed it.



Lucretia stood smiling cruelly, her eyes narrowed.

Looking down at his bent head, "Teach me—help me—so that I may never lose faith again!"

Lucretia, watching and listening, yet wishing wretchedly that she could neither hear nor see, was sick at heart. Men had adored her, had given their lives for her, gladly, triumphantly. Yet now she knew that never had any man loved her as this gallant young Spaniard loved the girl who stood there lifting innocent, shining eyes to his.

"My soul has been asleep," he said to her, "and you have wakened it."

And the trembling of his voice, the humble, beseeching manner that was his, told her more plainly than any words could have that his heart was in her keeping. Here was no sign of the gallant lover; here stood a man with reverence and worship in his eyes, who adored her, a man who would be ruled by her slightest wish, and who without her must be incomplete forever.

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They did not dream that anyone saw them. Had they known that Lucretia Borgia stood in the doorway of the church, looking at them, they would hardly have believed it, because the sunny garden seemed made for them and them alone.

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POULTRY MARKET

(Furnished by E. T. Gray & Sons)

Hens	16 to 18 cents pound
Fries	18 to 20 cents pound
Stags	12 cents pound
Cxs.	6 cents pound
Ducks	8 cents pound
Geese	5 cents pound
Guineas	25 cents each
Turkeys	10 cents pound
Keckwells	22 cents dozen
Eggs	15 cents pound
Butter	

LOCAL SPOTS

(Furnished by Williamson, Inman and Stribling)

Strict Middling	17.25
Low	13.00
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Russ Westover

County Notes

SOMERVILLE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. George Isley of New York are visiting Mr. Ed Isley and family. They expect to be here about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Felton Lyle and children of Albany were here Sunday the guests of her mother, Mrs. Kitty Johnson.

Tom Wade, Jr., is spending this week in Albany with his grandmother, Mrs. Lula Wade and other relatives.

Maury and Carl Hough of Lacey Springs, attended the play given here Saturday night.

Miss Rosie Johnston of Athens is visiting Mrs. Jos. Winton and Mrs. Mary Peek.

Mrs. P. L. Guyer and Blanche Winton were in Albany Sunday.

Misses Ola and Lillian Sample after a visit with relatives here, left Friday for Birmingham to visit their sister, Mrs. Hugh Dillon. After a short stay there, Miss Ola will return to Washington to resume her work for the government.

Misses Alice and Inez Oden, and Novel Miller returned home Friday after finishing the summer course at the Florence Normal.

Miss Eva Winton left Monday morning to begin her work as mathematics teacher in the Falkville high school.

Mr. George Ward of Albany was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. P. L. Guyer Sunday.

And standing there in the shadows, like a venomous snake that soon will strike, she watched the two lovers who stood in the sunlight, looking at each other as if the world held nothing but their love.

"She cannot love him as I do," Lucretia told herself bitterly.

"Never could she learn the ways of love as I know them. It is I who am meant for him—and I shall have him!"

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrison on Sunday.

Miss Erline Barnard of Scottsboro was a visitor here Sunday.

John Guyer is serving on the jury this week.

HARTSELLE, ROUTE 2

Miss Flossie Orr, who is teaching summer school in Cullman, spent the week-end with home folks.

T. E. Hall and family leave Thursday for Petersburg, Tenn., where he will hold a revival meeting.

Mrs. Fred Stephenson and children are visiting relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. E. Livingston and granddaughter returned Saturday from Birmingham after a week's stay.

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Miss Sims of Fayetteville, Tenn., is visiting Mrs. L. L. Pepper this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duncan and Mrs. E. B. Jenkins of Hartselle were the guests of Avery Roberts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gordon and children spent the week-end in Birmingham attending the camp meeting.

Miss Irene Woodard of Knoxville, Tenn., has been the guest of friends here for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roper entertained at their home on Friday evening in honor of the B. Y. P. U. and the Epworth League.

Mr. and Mrs. Bluette Stover of Albany spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLary.

Luther Barnes of Birmingham is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Barnes, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and children of near Forrest Chapel were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Misses Ernest Greer, Maury Hough, and Carl Hough, and Misses Luna Williams, Cherie Giers, and Mildred Hough of Lacey and Valhernosa Springs were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Wade of Albany spent Saturday night with his sister Mrs. R. C. Miller, and spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. Tom Wade, Mrs. Floyd Jacobs, and children of Albany left Saturday to visit relatives at Lacey Springs.

Mrs. Mary Peck entertained Monday night with an informal party in honor of her daughter Miss Ola Peck, and niece Miss Rosie Johnston. Music, games, and conversation were the features of the evening.

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"This is Pola Negri. How is Mr. Valentino?" a woman's voice queried. When assured there had been no change in his condition, the voice said "Thank you" and the connection was broken. Similar calls were received during the late hours of Monday night and late yesterday.

Valentino sipped some chicken broth early this morning.

COMPLETE BUILDING

The brick building now being erected on Moulton street east by Charles T. Rountree will be rushed to completion at an early date, it was stated today by the owner.

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CONSTANT WORK WILL CUT LIFE SHORT

Seven Days' Labor Weekly Cuts Quality and Out-put and Also Stunts a Person's Develop-ment of Spiritual and Mental Poise.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.

United States Senator from New York

Former Commissioner of Health, New York City

NOT long ago the Presbyterian ministers drafted a code of ethics and submitted it to the New York Presbytery. This document was divided into three parts: Personal standards, relations with the parish, relations with the profession.

Since doctors rarely hold a convention without discussing our code of ethics, I was much interested in the personal section of the proposed ministerial code. Two sections relating to personal standards I wish to quote:

"Part of the minister's service as a leader of his people is to reserve sufficient time for serious study in order thoroughly to apprehend his messages, keep abreast of current thought and develop his intellectual and spiritual capabilities.

"It is equally the minister's duty to keep physically fit. A weekly holiday and an annual vacation should be taken and used for rest and improvement."

Why isn't this good advice for all of us?

There is in the nature of every man a social and spiritual field which requires cultivation. We are bound to miss much of the joy of life if this field is neglected.

One of the evils of modern life, as I see it, is the lack of opportunity for study and reflection. The other day we read about the trip of Thomas Jefferson's gig from Monticello to Philadelphia. Mounted on an automobile chassis, it did in a few hours what required six days when Jefferson drove it to the capitol, a hundred and fifty years ago.

The conditions of his day forced upon Jefferson time which could be used no other way than

